

Rep. Craig Fry Needs Your Opinion

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It is always important for me to know your opinions on various issues related to state government. It is even more vital now with a new governor in the Statehouse, the long legislative session complete and the short legislative session now under way.

Making Progress



Representative Fry

going too far?

The new administration and the Republican majority in both the House and Senate also passed several bills which proved very controversial. The new state budget has resulted in large property tax increases across Indiana while forcing many local school corporations to slash personnel and programs.

The governor has used his executive powers to close local license branches, privatize various government operations, delay local road construction projects and place state prisoners in our parks. The governor has also announced plans to place one of our state prisons in the hands of private management.

Your opinion counts

I anticipate several important proposals will emerge in the next few months and I need your opinions. I encourage you to complete the survey to the right and mail it to my office.

I look forward to hearing from you.

In the past session we acted on various items that everyone agrees are in the best interests of our state—increased economic development efforts, a streamlined approach to regulation of small businesses to create more jobs, more caseworkers on the job to combat child abuse and a vigorous response to the growing problems of meth.



2006 Legislative Survey

Please complete this survey and return it to me by mail or online at www.in.gov/H5. Two sets of answers are provided so a second person of your household may respond.

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| 1. Should the Legislature repeal daylight-saving time in Indiana? | First person
<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
<input type="checkbox"/> no opinion | Second person
<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
<input type="checkbox"/> no opinion |
| 2. Do you believe Indiana should conduct a statewide referendum in 2006 to determine whether our state should be on Eastern time with New York or Central time with Chicago? | <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
<input type="checkbox"/> no opinion | <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
<input type="checkbox"/> no opinion |
| 3. Do you agree with the governor's plan to sell the Indiana Toll Road to foreign investors? | <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
<input type="checkbox"/> no opinion | <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
<input type="checkbox"/> no opinion |
| 4. Should local units of government be given the option of raising local option taxes (sales or income) in order to fund local services, such as schools and police or fire protection? | <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
<input type="checkbox"/> no opinion | <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
<input type="checkbox"/> no opinion |
| 5. Would you support an increase in state funding for local schools instead of raising local property taxes? | <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
<input type="checkbox"/> no opinion | <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
<input type="checkbox"/> no opinion |
| 6. Do you support closing corporate tax loopholes that shifted increased property taxes to homeowners? | <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
<input type="checkbox"/> no opinion | <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
<input type="checkbox"/> no opinion |
| 7. Should video gaming machines (better known as "cherry masters") be allowed in restaurants and bars in Indiana, with the state collecting a share of the proceeds? | <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
<input type="checkbox"/> no opinion | <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
<input type="checkbox"/> no opinion |

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